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GERMANS PAY DEARLY FOR ADVANCE

AIRMEN MAKE RAIDS ON BAPAUME

(By Associated Press)
British Army Headquarters in France, March 26.—Reports from all along the front indicate that the German loss of life on Monday was heavy. The enemy advanced against allied gunners who were firing with open

night last night. British airmen took heavy toll from German infantrymen in Bapaume. No official figures are at hand, but from compilations made personally, the Reuter's correspondent is convinced that
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Enemy Losses So Great They Have Been Forced to Bring Up Reinforcements From All Parts of Western Front--British Continue to Withdraw Slowly Before Pressure of German Masses, With An Unbroken Front

ARRAIGNED BEFORE U. S. AUTHORITIES

Dr. Karl Muck, Conductor of Boston Symphony Orchestra, Arrested as an Alien Enemy.

(By Associated Press)
Boston, March 26.—After a night in a Boston police station, Dr. Karl Muck, conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, was taken today before U. S. District Attorney Boynton and other federal officers for questioning. He was taken into custody last night

by the Department of Justice agents as an alien enemy, but no statement was forthcoming as to the ground for this action. Charles A. Ellis, manager of the Symphony Orchestra, accompanied Dr. Muck when officers took him to the
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(By Associated Press)
British Army Headquarters in France, March 26.—There is reason to believe important events will be recorded with the next few hours which may lead to a betterment of the position of the armies which are stemming the German onslaught. The enemy is fighting desperately hard against time. On the first day the reserves were reduced to 52 divisions. At the end of the second day some 40 divisions had been put in. A heavy German attack yesterday about Ervillers was completely smashed by the British artillery fire.

London, March 26.—The fighting died down during the night, the war office reports. The British established themselves in new positions east of Roye and Albert.

The Germans this morning began new attacks against the combined French and British forces south of the Somme. The German losses have been so great that the enemy has been obliged to bring up reinforcements from all parts of the western front. The war office has established the fact that more than 70 German divisions in the neighborhood of 400,000 men has been engaged.

London, March 26.—Exacting the heaviest toll for every foot of ground given up, the British line continues to withdraw slowly before the pressure of the German masses, a Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters wires.

Over a large part of the battle zone the retirement is being made voluntarily so as to maintain an unbroken front. Prisoners say that the advance of the Germans is behind their schedule.

Paris, March 26.—The battle continues with the greatest violence and the Germans are making still greater efforts along the whole front between Noyon and Chantilly, the war office announces.

Noyon was evacuated by the French during the night in perfect order. The left bank of the Oise is being firmly held by the French.

A dispatch from Reuter's correspon-

dent at British headquarters says that the spirit and determination of the British troops are excellent. The enemy losses have been enormous. The situation in many cases remains very confused.

With the American Army in France, Monday.—The American positions on a certain part of the Toul front were bombarded with mustard gas shells at the rate of six a minute last night, but ineffectively. The American artillery replied with heavy fire and demolished segments of the German front lines and other points.

(By Associated Press)
Washington, March 26.—Information received today by the British military attaché Major General James D. MacLellan is that the situation on the western battlefield is decidedly improved. The advances are based on the repulse of the Germans on the east bank of the Somme.

French Front in France, Monday.—Entire confidence reigns that the Germans' last trump in the world's greatest battle will be overtrumped when the proper moment comes.

The allied military authorities were fully cognizant that the enemy's supreme effort would cause a retreat until measures could be taken to check the eruption into allied position.

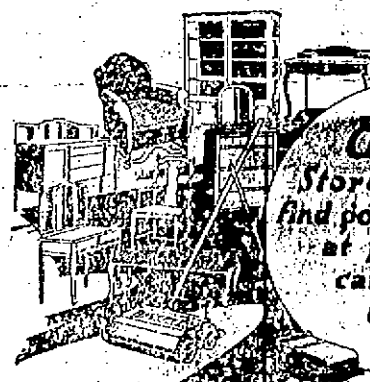
**BERLIN IS
CELEBRATING
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(By Associated Press)
London, March 26.—Berlin was decorated on Monday and church bells were rung in celebration of success on the western front, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

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DENIES HE IS CAPTIVE IN GERMAN CAMP

Randolph, Mass., March 26.—Harold C. Hinckley, former Randolph boy, reported as imprisoned at a German detention camp, was released more than a year ago and is now working in a shoe factory at Augusta, Me. It was learned in Randolph yesterday. Though his name was in the list of recent war prisoners published by the government, he says in a letter to a friend in Randolph that he arrived back in the United States April 22, 1917. He was released by the Germans just before the United States declared war.

He was one of the crew of a ship which fell a victim to the famous German raider Meow. He sailed out of Montreal November 23, 1916, aboard the steamer Mount Temple. The Meow sank the vessel and took off its crew. He was first put into the prison camp at Schinmunde, Germany. He was transferred in turn to the Neu-Sieditz, Dülmen and Brandenberg. On March 8, 1917, together with 53 other American prisoners, he was conducted to Switzerland and there released. Thirty-two of the group made their way to Spain and sailed for home on April 2.

He says in his letter that he has been certified for the next draft and is awaiting call. He is a son of Mrs. Mary Hinckley who recently moved from Randolph.

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST RAID ON N. Y. TAKEN

Washington, March 26.—Keller work which might be required in the event of an air raid on New York was planned at a meeting of doctors, nurses and police officials Monday at the headquarters of the health department.

Police Commissioner Enright announced that several units of surgeons, nurses and police had been formed in case of emergency and that bomb shelters would soon be provided in school houses and other places.

The trans-Atlantic trips of German submarines, the presence of super-submarines on the high seas and the alleged invention of airplanes with folding wings that can be carried on such craft were assigned as reasons why the conference was called to discuss the protective measures.

Captain A. Wells Ingram of London, now attached to the American Red Cross, who advised Commissioner Enright to prepare for possible raids declared at the meeting that the possibility Germany might attack New York from the air was "no joke."

ROCHESTER

Rochester, March 26.—The body of Mrs. Harriet A. Palmer, wife of C. G. Palmer of Bradbury, Me., who died at the Eagle hospital, Saturday, was taken to Bradbury Monday for service and interment. Her age was 37 years.

News has been received of the death of Jesse Donaldson, U. S. N., a Providence, R. I. He was 24 years old and formerly resided in this city, working for Proctor Bros.

The body of Benjamin Semard, age 84, was brought from Milton Monday and interred in Holy Rosary cemetery. He died at the home of his daughter in South Milton, Saturday, and Rev. Father Desmurs celebrated regular high mass over the remains in the Milton Catholic church Monday morning.

FLAG RAISING AT PORTLAND SHIPYARD

Portland, Me., March 26.—Two thousand people including 400 employees of the Cumberland Shipbuilding Co., attended the flag raising at the big plant at South Portland yesterday. Music was furnished by the Port Williams band, and James C. Helen, president of the company presided.

There was a striking patriotic address by the Rev. Ashley Day Leavitt, pastor of the State street Congregational church, who has done work among the soldiers in the front lines, and the Rev. Benjamin Brewster, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Maine also spoke.

A buffet lunch followed. Guests of the company inspected the yard in the afternoon.

KITTERY

Kittery, March 26.—A social will be held on Thursday evening at the North Kittery Methodist church.

Edward E. Shapleigh of Olin avenue resumed his duties on the navy yard on Monday after a week's illness.

Miss Eunice Tucker of Government street is improving from her illness.

Frank Fuller of North Kittery is able to go out after an illness.

Mrs. Ida Moore has taken employment on the navy yard.

Frederick Clark of Dame street has been restricted to the house the past few days by illness.

The Amateur Club meets Thursday evening with Miss Mildred Gerry.

Mrs. William Wynn and children of Walker street are visiting in New York.

Constitution Lodge, No. 88, Knights of Pythias, meets this evening at Odd Fellows' hall.

Mrs. Robert Tucker of Manson avenue is entertaining her mother from Bristol, N. H.

Mrs. Frank Fuller of North Kittery, who has been ill for some time, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Samuel Hodgdon, who is staying at Kittery Point during the critical illness of her mother, Mrs. Susan Perry, passed Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Howard Langdon of Central street is ill with a severe cold.

The regular midweek prayer meeting of the Government Street Methodist church will be held this evening and will be in charge of the pastor, Rev. John H. Tenner.

M. E. Ous of Government street is able to go out after an illness.

The Kittery Reading Club will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Gerry of Love lane.

Miss Otabelle Tucker of Government street is restricted to the house by illness.

Henry Fuller of Rogers road visited his parents at North Kittery on Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Meloon of Portsmouth visited her aunt, Mrs. Isabelle Prefetcher of the Intervenor, on Monday.

The Misses Mabel and Rita Dragoon of North Berwick have taken employment on the navy yard and began their duties on Monday.

Miss Mollie Lewis of Farmington, Mass., passed the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis of North Kittery.

Raymond Packard of Manson avenue is improving from his recent illness and able to go out.

Mrs. Joseph Peot and little daughter, of North Kittery, who have been ill the past two weeks, are improving.

The mid-week prayer meeting of the Second Christian church will be held this evening in charge of the pastor, Rev. Carl L. Nichols.

The finished work of the Kittery Branch of the Red Cross for the month of March will be packed for shipment to headquarters on Friday, the 29th, and all who have such work are requested to send it to the Red Cross sewing room on Wednesday afternoon or to Mrs. C. H. D. L'Amoureux before Friday.

The Girls' Patriotic League met Monday evening with Miss Helen Chesley, with a goodly number of young ladies present, and quite a lot of work was accomplished. The attendance has increased the last few meetings, which is very encouraging to those in charge. Here is a chance for young ladies who are employed during the day and for married women who can not leave home in the day time to do their bit. The meetings are held every Monday evening, notices of which are published beforehand.

LOST—Probably in vicinity of Friend street, Kittery, mittens and; finder return to Mrs. Williams, Friend street; reward.

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, March 26.—Christian Endeavor prayer meeting of the First Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. N. E. Emery this evening, leader, Mrs. Charles Drew.

Thursday evening prayer service of the Baptist church will meet at the vestry.

Mrs. Albert Rockwell was a visitor in Rochester, N. H., on Monday, being called here by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. Ada Shapleigh of East Ellol, visited her sister, Mrs. Thomas Gray on Monday.

A rehearsal for Easter music for the

Baptist church was held at the vestry last evening.

Herbert Currier has taken employment at George Boulder's Kittery. Miss Alice Patch spent Sunday with relatives in Dover, N. H.

Mrs. George Kimball was a visitor in Portsmouth last evening.

The W. C. T. U. will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Bella Hoyt.

An Easter sale and entertainment will be held on Wednesday evening at the Baptist church, given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Miss Dorothy Tobey was the guest of friends in Portsmouth last evening.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Congregational church was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. James Walker this afternoon. A fine attendance was present. The ladies are busy sewing for their annual sale. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

MUST BUY NEXT WINTER'S COAL EARLY

Washington, March 26.—More than half a million tons less in coal production last week caused the fuel administration Monday to reiterate warnings contained in the announcement of its zone distribution system so that next winter's supply of fuel should be laid in early to keep mines working to capacity. The falling off, if continued, would mean serious shortage in fuel next winter to those sections not forehanded enough to purchase in advance.

In working out a zone system for the purchase of coal allotting a certain territory to each producing field so as to avoid cross handling and other transportation evils, the normal production and consumption of coal have been balanced so evenly that any drop in output will mean insurmountable difficulties in obtaining fuel after cold weather sets in, especially as war needs increase.

The fuel administration holds that having provided a normal and economical method of distributing fuel, it can go no further than its warning to consumers to purchase early.

Criticism of price reductions by the administration have been answered by Fuel Administrator Garfield in a letter to Senator Thomas, who recently announced that Colorado mines were closing down because of low prices.

Dr. Garfield said that the cost sheets furnished by the mines to the federal trade commission "do not warrant the assumption that they have closed down because of inability to operate at a profit."

Pro-Germans Killed in Tulsa, Okla.

Tulsa, Okla., March 26.—Two men were shot and killed by police officials Sunday because of pro-German sentiments which they expressed.

Stephen Ivenoff, a Bulgarian coal miner, was shot while resisting officers sent to arrest him for the statement that he regretted that he was not in the German army now to help them against the Americans.

Joseph Spring, a waiter, was killed by a police investigator for declaring that he was glad the Germans were winning on the western front.

British Airmen Bomb German Cities

London, March 25.—British airmen have bombed the railroad station at Cologne and vicinity with marked success.

Exeter

Exeter, March 26.—The local boys who will answer the draft next Friday morning include Howard A. Carter, who is connected with the printing department of the Exeter News-Letter, Fred Davitt being engaged about the dormitories of the academy, and of the alternates, Richard Deshane is a shoe worker. He will doubtless be sent away this time. Sam Conter is a junk dealer, he being a Russian by birth, and has not yet become a naturalized citizen of the United States. The thirteen who will be sent away will report at the headquarters of the draft board Thursday evening, and will leave here on Friday morning for Camp Devens at Ayer, Mass.

One of the entertainments for Easter Monday next week will be a ball by the Wenhannow tribe of Red Men in Red Men's hall.

Prof. Albert B. Hart of Harvard spoke at the academy chapel Sunday evening on "No Royal Road to Peace," and Saturday evening Rev. Dr. Albert P. Fitch of Amherst college whose subject was "On the French Front with the Red Cross."

The banquet of the New England Alumni association of the academy will be held at the University club of Boston on April 8. The banquet was not held in December owing to war measures.

The condition of Selectman Clarence Gatchell, who is in the Exeter Cottage hospital, is reported to be somewhat improved.

The March meeting of the First Parish Men's club of the First Congregational church was held Monday evening, the program consisting of a talk by Dr. Lewis Perry, principal of the academy on "Poetry of the War." It was "Ladies' night."

The annual parish supper of the Phillips church was held Monday evening, Mrs. Charles H. Clark acted as toastmistress. The annual meeting of the new parish was held incidentally.

Bids for Water Bonds.

The City of Portsmouth offers for purchase an issue of Water Bonds of said City, dated April 1, 1918, amounting to \$35,000 and payable \$5000 in each of the years 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925 and 1926. The bonds are for \$1000 each and bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of April and October of each year at the office of the City Treasurer or at the First National Bank of Boston, Mass. This issue is approved by said First National Bank.

Bids for these bonds will be received at the office of the City Treasurer up to 11 o'clock A. M., Friday, March 29, 1918, and should be marked, "Bids for Water Bonds." No bid for less than par and accrued interest will be received and the right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

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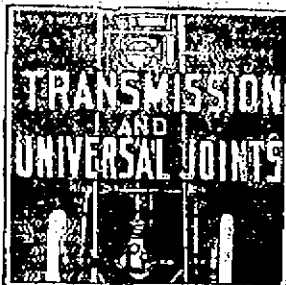
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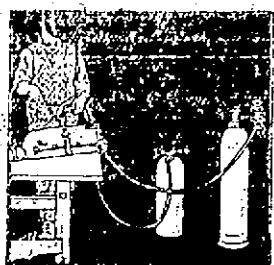
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ANXIETY GREATEST SINCE 1914

London, March 25.—The British people have experienced no other period of anxiety comparable with this week-end since the days of the retreat from Mons in August 1914, when the fate of the small British army was undecided.

There was perfect spring weather yesterday and all the streets and parks were crowded, but solemnity prevailed everywhere. Men and women, and even children were reading the newspapers, and special editions which printed the afternoon reports were bought as fast as the newspapers could supply them.

NEW ENGLAND TROOPS TO TAKE PART

Washington, March 25.—The official despatch from General Pershing's headquarters this morning to the effect that American soldiers were not involved in the fighting as reported Sunday, was followed by the prediction this noon that the New England division might get into the drive at any moment. The Twenty-Sixth is near the edge of the fight and military experts in Washington say the New England boys are likely to participate very soon.

REST TOWN FOR THE U. S. SOLDIERS

Chambéry, France.—(By Mail)—American soldiers on leave now are being sent to the department of Savoie, one of the most picturesque regions of France, to obtain rest and healthful recreation after their arduous work in the trenches and behind the lines. The department was selected by officers of the American army. It is beautifully situated about 350 miles from Paris in the Alps in southern France, having a mild and agreeable climate, fertile valleys, high

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To "Pearl of Savoy"

The first contingent of soldiers was sent to Aix-les-Bains, known to tourists the world over as "The Pearl of Savoy." This town, with a normal population of less than 10,000 inhabitants is located but one mile from the lake of Bourget on a small plain surrounded by mountains.

Aix owes its fame and importance to its warm mineral springs, known to the Romans. The baths are operated under government supervision. The water is supplied by two springs, yielding daily more than 1,000,000 gallons. The treatment, prescribed chiefly for rheumatism and skin diseases, is supplied to American soldiers at a very nominal cost.

Famous Ruins

Chambéry is a town of 22,000 inhabitants about nine miles from Aix-les-Bains. It is the capital of the department of Savoie and an important center of learning and industry. The grand dukes of Savoie made their headquarters in Chambéry, and built there a great castle, parts of which still stand. Old Roman ruins are also found in the neighborhood.

Challes-Eaux is another well known hot springs station, located a couple of miles southeast of Chambéry and at the foot of the Bauges mountains. The baths there are said to have virtually the same mineral properties as those at Aix-les-Bains. A large casino and a theatre have been leased in Challes by the Young Men's Christian Association for the benefit of the American soldiers.

JAPAN STILL UNDECIDED ABOUT SIBERIA

Tokio (by the Associated Press) March 25.—The interest in America and in Europe in the possibility of Japanese military intervention in the war is duplicated in Japan, where the question of the dispatch of an army to Siberia not only overshadows every other thing but has created a national problem not approached in importance since the Russo-Japanese War. The correspondent, in this connection is reliably informed that Japan, after the frankest exchange of views with the Allies, is still studying the question and has not decided upon its policy.

Representative opinion among the Japanese regards the situation as serious and as fraught with possibilities of danger to the safety and national interests of Japan as well as to the cause of the Allies. The chaos in Siberia with battles between opposing factions on the border of Manchuria, is regarded as rendered more sinister by the presence of 140,000 German and Austrian prisoners who are virtually at liberty, and by recent accounts that German officers have been seen in the ranks fighting with the Bolsheviks.

It is announced that the Japanese navy is making careful preparations to meet the possibility of the Germans transporting submarines to the Pacific. The two Japanese warships at Vladivostok, it is pointed out, could land marines in the event of danger to the lives and property of the Japanese. The fact that several Japanese were among the killed and wounded in recent Siberian engagements has encouraged the press more vigorously to urge Governmental action.

In Japan the war has created a grave question by the steady rise in the price of food and other necessities, causing increasing hardships to the masses. Although the Siberian situation is serious, it is not deemed at present to be critical but the indications are that Japan will remain in a state of alertness and preparedness to meet eventualities. Should intervention be decided upon it is understood that Powers will not raise the question of the necessity of joint military action, and that the Japanese army alone

would be entrusted with the campaign. The question of how the Russian people would view the entrance of Japanese forces into Siberia forms an important aspect of the present situation. The illness of Premier Terapiant has given rise to reports of a possible change in the ministry.

WOOD THINKS ALLIES WILL HOLD

Washington, March 25.—Major General Leonard Wood appeared to be in the pink of condition when he appeared before the Senate Committee on Military Affairs this afternoon, to testify about conditions in France, as he witnessed them while on his recent tour of inspection. The hearing was executive.

"Do you think it best to have the hearing public or executive?" asked Chairman Chamberlain, as he shook hands with the noted officer. "I think it would be just as well to have an executive session," replied the general. "What does your committee want to hear?"

"We want you to tell us all about conditions in France," said Senator Chamberlain. "I guess we had better go into executive session then," said the General. "But I am wide open as far as I go, and probably we can have an open session part of the time. I am sorry, boys," said the General, in an aside to the newspaper correspondents with whom he had been chatting for ten minutes.

General Wood, accompanied by his aide, arrived at the committee room fifteen minutes before the hearing was scheduled to begin. After a few minutes with his aide he met the correspondents, with many of whom he was personally acquainted. In speaking with them, he testified to the excellent morale of the Allied soldiers British, French and American. "Here is one of the emancipated soldiers," remarked the General laughingly, pointing in his aide, who appeared to be a hard-core fighter. "They thrive on the conditions 'Over there,'" said the General.

General Wood said he believed the Germans would not be able to break through in the present drive. He said the war would be won by trained and disciplined soldiers, not by long range guns. It became noted about the capital in a few minutes that General Wood had arrived and many senators and congressmen rushed to the committee room to shake hands with him. Several Senate pages brought autograph albums in which the general wrote his name. Then Senator Chamberlain arrived and the doors were closed. Expecting that the hearing would be public, more correspondents arrived at the committee room to cover the proceedings than at any time in the last three months. General Wood talks right out in public and extremely interesting testimony will last is not known. Without doubt some of the testimony will be in public, for the general wants to speak publicly on certain questions and the committee is anxious to have him.

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GIRL WANTED—For work in store. Apply at Green's Drug Store, Market Square. he m22, 31

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WANTED—Experienced sales girl to work in shoe store. Apply Frank W. Knight, Market Square. he 1 w m 13

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WANTED—Men, women, 18 or over, needed for Government war jobs; thousands of clerks wanted; \$100 month. American Institute, Dept. G-595, Rochester, N. Y. h m18-23-30, m-13

WANTED—A table girl. Apply 276 Market Street. Tel. 354X. he m15, 1w

WANTED—To hire one or two houses anywhere in Portsmouth. Apply 183 Congress Street. ch 1w m20

WANTED—Laundry help. Women and girls. Apply at Portsmouth Steam Laundry. he if F 27

WANTED—Ads and brand ads; will owners of these tools in this vicinity call the Herald business office. If you have them be patriotic and get busy. he 111 1f

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WANTED TO RENT—Young married couple wants small cottage house or part of house somewhere near Portsmouth. Address V. W. B. this office. he m20, 1w

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TO LET—A garage. Apply 51 Richards Avenue. he 1f m 25

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TO LET—At the Mayfield house, 383 Pleasant Street, rooms furnished with kitchen privileges. he m11, 1f

TO LET—Furnished room, all modern conveniences; gentlemen preferred. Apply 51 Richards Avenue. he m23, 1f

TO LET—Large front room suitable for two gentlemen. Tel. 279J, or call at 203 Cross Street. h m23, 1f

TO LET—Two furnished rooms. Gentlemen preferred. Apply 500 Union Street. he m 7 1f

TO LET—One front room partly furnished, also one unfurnished room to let. Inquire at the premises, Mrs. Maud H. Shea, 161 Myrtle Avenue. he m16, 1w

TO LET—Two sunny warm rooms (not for light housekeeping). All modern conveniences. Apply 450 Islington Street. ch 1w m20

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TO LET—Large front room with all improvements. Can accommodate 3 gentlemen; good location. Address S. A. T. this office. m25

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TO RENT—Two furnished rooms with modern conveniences. Apply 523 Islington Street. h m21

TO LET—11 room house, bath, hot and cold water, electric lights. References required. Write P. O. box 278, York Corner, Me. ch 1w m25

TO LET—Large furnished front room; all conveniences, centrally located, suitable for two gentlemen. Address L. B. A. this office. he m23, 1f

FOR RENT—One or two furnished rooms, modern conveniences with use of bath. Middle Street car line; gentlemen preferred. Tel. 6121. he m25, 1w

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—11 School Street, 13-room house, all furnished; big barn with seven stalls; pear trees, grape vine, nice location. Rents for \$1200 year, without letting the barn. A snap. Address A. Mustone, Penhallow Street.

FOR SALE—New bungalow. All modern improvements. Inquire 341 Dennett Street. Tel. 92431. he if m25

FOR SALE—1 Chalmers car, mod. 28, 5-pass. touring; must be sold at once. Owner in France. Can be seen at Lord's Garage. he m21, 1w

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1914 model; cheap for cash, \$200; four new tires. Apply E. B. Grace, Kittery Point, Me. he m20, 1f

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching. Single comb Brown Leghorn. Apply T. J. Burke, 600 Broad Street. ch 1wn20

FOR SALE—Power Boat like new. Seat 25 or 30, 20 h. p. engine. Best of takes in P. O. Box 454, City. ch 1w m19

FOR SALE—Hollander auto truck, 3 ton, good condition. Price a bargain. Apply Sinclair Garage. A chance to make money. ch 1w m 19

FOR SALE—Farm and village property in Greenland and vicinity, from 4 to 200 acres, \$1300 up. Apply C. M. Huntress, Greenland, N. H. Tel. 1179X. he m15, 1w

We have a piano just returned by customer near this city, which we will sell for balance due on lease—less than half its real value. It is of standard make mahogany, upright, and will be delivered free of cost to buyer with chair and stool belonging to it. Address Bates-Mitchell Company, this office. ch 1w m15

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FOR SALE—At Seashore Farm at Odiorne's Point, Rye, N. H., plenty of sweetening, short hauls right to the spot. J. Wesley Foye, R. F. D. No. 2, he 111, 1f

FOR SALE—17 Grade Holstein heifers; 2 pure bred Holstein heifers; 1 pure bred Holstein cow; 3 males; 1 heavy mare. Toscan Parrot. Portsmouth and Greenland. he m5, 1f

FOR SALE—One very good show case and wall fixtures. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE—Small dwelling, newly shingled; acre and half land, hen house, with 20 hens; barn with winter supply of hay; horse and cow; fruit trees of all kinds; winter supply of wood; new well and water in the house. Apply Charles M. Miller Durgin Lane. he m27, 1f

FOR SALE—Small office safe, 18x24x16. Box 365, City. he m23, 1w

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FOR SALE—Motor boat, 25ft. by 4 ft. 6 in.; 12 hp double cylinder Eagle Engine; full equipment, \$115. P. O. Box 362, Kittery, Me. he m22, 1w

FOR SALE—Two cylinder, 12-horse marine engine. George A. Foye, Kittery, Me. he m26, 101

FOR SALE—Handsome thoroughbred English setter, 3 mos. old. Price \$10.00. Write John S. Randall, Rockland, Me. ch 2, 1m26

FOR SALE—Improved Columbian sewing machine, drop head, brand new. Price \$12.00 for quick cash sale. Can be seen at 410 Lafayette Road. ch 1w m22

FOR SALE—One of the best paying hotels on the water front at Old Orchard Beach, of 50 rooms; must be sold on account of sickness. This is all furnished and a good business established. This hotel can be bought on easy terms; if you are looking for a business, don't miss this. For particulars write or call and see W. M. Davis, Old Orchard, Me. he 114 1f

LOST

LOST—A bunch of keys; under please notify this office. he m18, 1w

LOST—At Olympia Theatre Monday afternoon, a black patent leather strap purse containing sum of money, cards and many card pass. Finder please return to Mrs. J. J. Brown, 30 Gardner Street. Tel. 1206R. ch 31 m20

LOST—The gentleman who by mistake exchanged hats at the Portsmouth Yacht Club may get his hat by applying at F. W. Lydston on Congress Street where it has been left. ch 1f m11

LOST—A gold pocket watch with initials "P. D. W." Finder please call 1035W. he 1f m23

LOST—Muff, natural fur, out of date and prized because of its family connection. Lost March 9 near Portsmouth Parade. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Herald Office. ch 1w m20

FOUND

FOUND—Child's gold bracelet. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad. ch 1f m26

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COMPLAINT ABOUT THE PRICE OF ROOMS ASKED IN THIS CITY**Chamber of Commerce Appeals to the People and Says It Will React Against City.**

During the great need for rooms which has existed for the past few weeks the householders of Portsmouth have shown a decided willingness to relieve the situation by throwing open their houses to accommodate those in need of rooms, and a large number of people have been cared for in this way. Prices for rooms have, in general, been very reasonable. However, a few bitter complaints have been made to the undersigned regarding rates charged for rooms and sudden drastic advances in price demanded of occupants of rooms. These are isolated cases but it is just such cases that are bound to react unfavorably upon the city, and it is hoped and believed that the patriotic spirit exhibited in placing rooms at the disposal of our incoming strangers will be equalled by the determination to hold such rooms at a fair rental and thus stamp Portsmouth as a place which stands for a square deal to the stranger. This is not written in a spirit of criticism or complaint but is merely a suggestion in the best interests of the city. It is perfectly right that a fair and remunerative rate should be charged—and that is all.

J. H. BAKER,
Secretary Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce.

KNIT FOR THE RED CROSS

The King's Daughters were engaged in knitting for the Red Cross during the afternoon. At two, the conclusion of the business session a social hour was enjoyed, the hostess serving tea and war cookies. Mrs. Arthur Smith,

Mrs. Amos R. Locke and Mrs. Taylor Waterhouse assisted. Mrs. Kate Farnsworth of Nashua, formerly leader of the state organization of King's Daughters will visit this circle at the first meeting in April to talk on King's Daughters work. The following day she will be the guest of the Inasmuch Circle of King's Daughters of the North church.

MEN TO ASK FOR FREE RIDES TO AND FROM WORK

A movement is said to have been made by the several hundred men employed at the shipbuilding plant at Newington and Freeman's Point in which the workmen will later petition the government to stand for the expense of the transportation to and from their work.

If they should be successful the men on the train from Newburyport, Dover and other places will ride at the expense of Uncle Sam. The fact that the government has control of the railroad system is said to have prompted the action of the emergency fleet mechanics.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Cloudy and colder tonight; Wednesday fair.

Sun Rises.....5.33
Sun Sets.....6.03
Length of Day.....12.25
Moon Sets.....4.47 am
High Tide.....10.35 am, 10.56 pm
Light Automobile Lamps at.....5.33 pm

Mrs. W. P. Fuller, Jr., wife of a wealthy manufacturer of San Francisco, has moved to Washington, where she is working from 10 to 12 hours a day in Fuel Administration offices. She receives no compensation for her labor.

WOMAN TELLS HER STORY TO THE POLICE**Vickery to Be Arraigned Under the Mann Act by the Federal Authorities.**

Fred Vickery and Barbara Martin, arrested here by the police on Monday, were taken to Concord today by Deputy United States Marshal Flannigan, where they will appear before United States Commissioner Burns P. Hodgman under the Mann act. Vickery is alleged to have been engaged in white slavery and the woman who claims to be 22 years of age is held as a witness against Vickery. The federal authorities were called into the case as a result of the story told by the woman. She has been in this locality for the past two weeks and made several visits to Dover, Rochester and other places during her stay. Letters found on her person from parties in other places satisfied the local police of actions and she finally revealed the facts and the object of her visit in this city. They both claim Auburn, Me., as their home. Vickery is about 33 years of age and claims to be engaged in the automobile business.

THE HERALD HEARS

That a workman at the navy yard living in Newcastle, was recently injured by a fall while at work.

That he insisted on remaining on the job regardless of the medical force and his friends at the yard.

That he continued to walk to and from his work, a distance of four miles each day.

That severe pain attacked him and he finally agreed to go under the X-ray at the yard dispensary.

That the government medical men discovered that he had been working and walking with a fractured ankle.

That he stated he continued on the job because his family needed the money.

That he was finally forced to quit.

That the police took a hand in the trouble at the Boston and Maine depot last night.

That three officers were there when the 5.20 train arrived and got busy.

That the officers found plenty to do in checking the movements of the government workmen crowding on the train for Somersworth, South Berwick and Rochester, before the passengers could get off.

That the officers are going to stop this rush which passengers complain of so much.

That the police will stop this practice which has injured passengers and if arrests are necessary the police will make them and let the court do the rest.

That Russian history sounds like a stuttering man telling a funny story.

That two hundred thousand dollars worth of chickens are killed each year by automobiles and the dog crop is also large.

That the business men on Daniel street who have a little civic pride say that the sidewalk conditions will not exist there next winter if there is any law to look to for a remedy.

That a writer wants to know why it is that a man never stops to listen when a woman talks in her sleep.

That no more superior court will be held in this city until May.

That rumors of some changes in the fire department are going the rounds.

That if lovers of dancing cannot find enough of the amusement in Portsmouth, they cannot find it anywhere.

That the bank accounts of some of the local sports are not so heavy today as the result of betting against the local man in the wrestling bout of Monday night.

That the Dryden men certainly caught a few of them.

That the records show that one out of every nine men are absent from work at the navy yard every day.

That many men prepare for garden work by borrowing all their neighbor's tools.

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That complaints to the Chamber of Commerce are increasing about the exorbitant price of rooms in this city.

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annual dinner given by the Golden Rule Circle to the Home for Aged Women, Mrs. Amos R. Locke and Mrs. Taylor Waterhouse to have charge of this.

LOCAL DASHES

Monuments and gravestones. J. H. Dowd Co., 93 Market street.

All the churches in the city are planning elaborate services for Easter. Chevrolet, 4 and 8 cyl. cars; Vello cars; Kooler, 4-cyl. trucks, autos to rent. C. E. Woods, Phone 472. 157, 157.

Worn by one young lady yesterday: Fur coat, straw hat, low shoes and a muff. Can you beat it?

Upholsterers of antique and modern furniture. Hair mattresses renovated. Mergeson Bros. Tel. 578.

Many of the boys "over there" say that the life agrees with them better than any occupation they have tried to date.

A well fitting suit is a pleasure. Get your spring suit made by M. Schwartz, Philadelphia Ladies' Tailor, opposite Public Library. Tel. 495M.

Lobsters and fresh fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons, Tel. 245.

Don't forget to go to the minstrel show and dance at Freeman's hall, April 2, given by Morley Burton Drum Corps.

People that are engaged in pursuits that will not stand scrutiny by the police department will do well to avoid Portsmouth.

The wrestling matches in Boston are attended by the ladies in goodly numbers. The fair sex would be enthusiastic over the sport in this city if a start could only be made.

If you oversleep Monday morning don't say that your clock was an hour slow. Everyone will have that excuse. Think up a new one to spring on the boss.

Many of the stores are making window displays of garden tools and seeds. A little later on, the citizens of Portsmouth will have a more satisfactory showing of the products of these articles.

The practice of throwing away American flags that are past usefulness and allowing Old Glory to decorate ash heaps and other dump piles should be stopped at once. One of the plans suggested is to burn the flag that is worn beyond use.

Fresh fish, oysters, meats, groceries, Brown's Market. Try us. Tel. 194.

Trimmed and untrimmed hats at Miss F. M. Gardner's, 162 Vaughan street, for Wednesday and Thursday, March 27 and 28. Public always welcome.

Now comes the story of the first green peas of the season. The story is going the rounds that a fly man has eaten some grown in a box in a bay window of his living room, but we don't vouch for the peas or the story.

WANTED—Man used to handling lumber to work in a retail yard. A steady job and good wages for the right man. Apply to Littlefield Lumber Co., 63 Green street, Portsmouth. h m26, 4t

PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION.

The March meeting of the Lafayette School Parent-Teacher Association was held at the school last evening. President Joseph P. Conner presiding. The subject for the evening was "The Mental Development of the Child," and Miss Morrison, the principal of the school, read a paper on that topic.

Supt. William H. Shynon, who was cordially welcomed as a new member of the association, then spoke informally regarding the success of the savings stamps system which has been introduced into the schools, and of the advisability of further interesting the children in the purchase of thrift and war savings stamps with a part of their savings. Mr. Shynon also spoke of the School and Home Garden project which is being advanced by the State Department of Public Instruction.

Following the program, music and a social hour were enjoyed by all present. The annual meeting of the association will be held in May.

FOOD DEMONSTRATION.

Miss Dorothy Emerson will give a food demonstration on what to eat in war time at the Women's Building, Middle street, Thursday afternoon of this week at 2.30 o'clock.

The food situation is now becoming so threatening that every woman needs to learn all she can to help those depending on her through the difficult days to come. Everyone invited.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of George E. Sweetser will be held from the home of Warren Yerkis in North Kittery Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Friends invited.

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Horace M. Wiggins, residing at 296 Broad street, was badly injured this forenoon while engaged in work with his brother Frank T. Wiggins, at the latter's home on Greenland road. At the time of the injury he was operating a gasoline sawing machine getting out a supply of wood. In some manner he slipped and fell onto the saw. His left arm was horribly lacerated by the teeth of the sharp instrument.

The ambulance was hurried to the scene and the man brought to the Portsmouth hospital where the doctors found it necessary to amputate at the shoulder.

RED MEN OBSERVE 30TH ANNIVERSARY

Massachusetts Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men No. 19, observed its 30th anniversary last evening at its hall in Freeman's block. At the conclusion of the business meeting the members visited a local restaurant where supper was served. Speeches and story telling enlivened the occasion.

BATTLE OF MUSIC

The folks in New York and Boston say that the Battle of Music is the greatest novelty in years. Don't miss the big ball at Freeman's hall on Easter Thursday, April 4. Jordan's Famous Orchestra of Newburyport vs. Hacker's Popular Orchestra. Concert 8 to 8.30. Then 6 hours continuous dancing—46 dances in all.

HOLY WEEK AT THE NORTH CHURCH

Half-hour services are held in the chapel on Middle street, at 5 o'clock each afternoon until Friday. The service on Friday will be held in the church, at 7.30 o'clock, when there will be given Passion-tide music and a sermon by Rev. B. W. Lockhart, D. D. The offering will be for the destitute children of the Eastern war zone.

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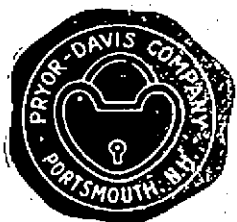
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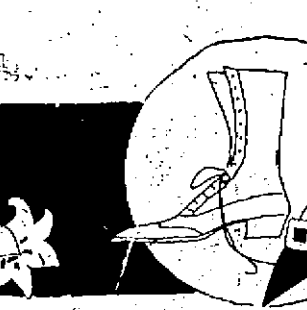
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Amsterdam, March 25.—The fall of Bapaume was announced last night in a telegram from the German Emperor to the Empress. It is announced officially. The Empress's telegram reads: "Bapaume fell last night after a hard

struggle. My victorious troops are pressing forward from Bapaume and further south are advancing on Albert. The Somme has been crossed at many points above Peronne. The spirits of the troops are as fresh as on the first day of the battle.

"Over 15,000 prisoners, more than 500 guns, thousands of machine guns and enormous quantities of ammunition and provisions have been taken. Just as after the Isonzo battle in Italy."

"May God be with us, Wilhelm."

Read the Want Ads

DEAD BARGE CAPTAIN'S WIFE IS MISSING

New London, Conn., March 25.—Mrs. Frank L. Pendleton, wife of the barge captain who was strangled to death in a fall from a wharf here Thursday night, has disappeared. She left the home of a sister in Lynn, Mass., last Monday night, ostensibly to visit her husband in this city, but failed to put in an appearance here.

William Pendleton, a brother, arrived here Friday and took charge of his brother's affairs pending the advent of his wife. When she did not appear Friday a telegram was sent to her at the home of her mother in Halesford, Me., notifying her of her husband's death. The message was forwarded to Mrs. Pendleton at the home of Miss Kennedy in Lynn, with whom Mrs. Pendleton was visiting. But Mrs. Pendleton had left Lynn for Boston en route to this city.

Miss Kennedy immediately came to this city, where she and Mr. Pendleton started an investigation. They learned that Capt. Pendleton had received a telegram from his wife stating she would arrive here on the 5:31 train from Boston Tuesday afternoon. Capt. Pendleton, it is learned, met this train. But Mrs. Pendleton was not on board. Mrs. Pendleton's trunk arrived on that train and is at the baggage room at Union station.

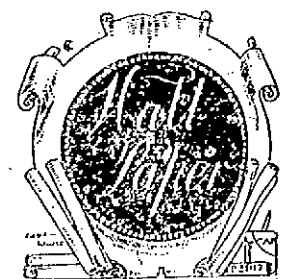
Capt. Pendleton's body has been sent to Lincolnville, Me., where he was born.

Mr. Pendleton and Miss Kennedy have gone to Boston, where they will make a round of the hospitals to ascertain if some accident has befallen Mrs. Pendleton.

OBSEQUIES

Alverton M. Hammond.

The funeral of Alverton M. Hammond was held from the Congregational church in 131st Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. D. T. O'Neil, pastor of the church, conducted the service. The officers of Naval Lodge, A. P. and A. M., of Kittery attended and held their services. The following members of Bradford Commandery,



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Knights Templar, acted as bearers. Charles E. Woods, Burleigh Dame, Wilbur Spinnery and Perry Spinnery. The remains were placed in the receiving tomb in Greenwood cemetery under direction of J. Verne Wundt.

Hezekiah H. Leavitt.

The funeral of Hezekiah H. Leavitt was held from Christ church Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. C. T. Uris officiating. Interment was in Stratton cemetery under the direction of O. W. Ham.

ARRAIGNED BEFORE U. S. AUTHORITIES

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federal building from the police station. The prisoner was permitted to sit outside the cage in the detention room while awaiting examination. Officers declined to make a statement regarding the arrest.

Much sat for many hours in the detention room while arrangements were being made by agents of the Department of Justice to have him locked up probably for the duration of the war as an alien enemy.

While government officials would not reveal the specific nature of the charge on which he was arrested, they admitted he would be sent later in the day to East Cambridge Jail and held there, pending orders from Washington.

PATROL BOAT SUNK OFF MASS. COAST

(By Associated Press)

Plymouth, Mass., March 25.—While proceeding to this port during a heavy fog early today, a government patrol boat struck a ledge off the Cornett lighthouse and went to the bottom after all hands had been taken off by the coast guard crews from South Shore stations. There were 25 men in the crew of the boat and all were landed safely.

REAL SHELL PRACTICE AT CAMP DEVENS

Camp Devens, March 25.—Artillery practice opened Monday morning when Capt. J. J. Place of Newport, Va., fired the first three inch shell at the command of Captain W. H. Claffin, Jr., of Boston. In four hours one hundred and twenty high explosive shells found their mark among the wooded hills of Sibley and Lancaster, a small beginning for the stream of metal which will transform a section of the camp into a semblance of a battlefield.

GIVES WAR DEPARTMENT'S REASON

(By Associated Press)

Washington, March 25.—An official statement of the war department's reason for announcing only the names of American troops killed or wounded in France was submitted to the Senate today by Maj. Gen. March, acting chief of staff, with a statement that the department considers it of best advantage from all points of view.

SEAPLANE ACCIDENT AT PENSACOLA

(By Associated Press)

Washington, March 25.—A seaplane accident at Pensacola, Florida, resulting in the death of Ensign Michael Joseph Delahanty, Naval Reserve, Boston, was reported today to the Navy Department.

HUN TANKS HELPED SAY GERMANS

Berlin, March 25.—German tanks reinforced by captured British tanks, says a semi-official statement, "took a leading part in breaking the brave enemy resistance" in Sunday's fighting.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish to express their sincere thanks to all those who extended sympathy or assistance during their recent bereavement. Also to those who sent floral tributes.

Joseph Hammond and Family.

Constipation causes headache, indigestion, dizziness, droopiness. For a mild, opening medicine use Doan's Backache, 20c a box at all stores.

FINNISH RED GUARDS FLEEING

(By Associated Press)

Stockholm, March 25.—The front of the Finnish Red Guards has been broken and they are fleeing southward in panic, according to reports received here today. They are reported to have left behind them large quantities of stores, guns, railway trucks and ammunition, as well as many prisoners.

The Red Guards, who are supported by the Bolsheviks, have been carrying on civil war with the White Guards who, presumably, were assisted in the battle by German troops recently sent to Russia.

PERSONALS

Jacob Cohen was in Newfields on business Monday.

Isaac Friedman was a visitor in Stratton yesterday.

Rev. John W. Toner passed yesterday in Manchester.

Former Souther of Seabrook was a visitor in this city today.

Alton L. Palmer, formerly of this city has been a recent visitor here.

Samuel London of the Lafayette road has been admitted to the Portsmouth hospital for treatment.

Misses Ruth and Lois Seybolt of Simmons college are passing the spring vacation at their home on Highland street.

Chief Boatwain Henry P. Weaver and Mrs. Weaver have taken the Young cottage at Wadsworth Sands for the season.

Morris Schwartz has purchased the house on Marcy street owned by William W. Cotton and will occupy it as a residence.

Howard Glines, formerly of this city, but now employed at Henry Brothers' Paper Company at Lincoln, this state, is passing a week's vacation in this city.

William Ward who has been confined to his home on Lafayette road by illness for the past six weeks is now greatly improved and able to be about the house.

Miss Dorothy Foster who has recently returned from abroad, arrived from Boston yesterday and is the guest of Mrs. J. Winslow Pierce of Court street.

Miss Loretta Hissett of Wellesley college is on a pleasure trip to Washington, D. C., and other points of interest with a party of Wellesley students on a vacation trip.

Only three members of the ninth company of Portsmouth, stationed at Springfield, were allowed furloughs. The three lucky ones who will spend their time at their homes in this city are Sergis, A. L. Hersey, L. E. Downing, and Lance Corp. Paul S. Conover.

Rev. John L. Davis, who has been pastor of the Pearl Street People's Baptist church for over five years, has been granted leave of absence so that he may go with his wife to her home in South Carolina, her health having been impaired by this severe climate.

Mrs. Frank Moore of Deer street who has passed the winter in Florida, will arrive home early next month. Mrs. Clarence Gower, who also passed the winter in Florida with Mrs. Moore, will return with her as far as New York, where she will make a short visit before returning to this city.

Miss Margaret Goodwin arrived last evening from Waterbury, Conn., to remain over Easter as the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Goodwin of Broad street. Miss Goodwin who is a popular local young woman and was formerly in charge of the Portsmouth Girls' club and in charge of the recreation centre of Waterbury, Conn.



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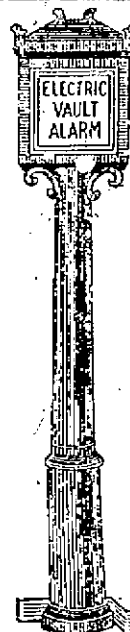
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DRYDEN DEFEATS JIM POULIOS

hrows Greek in Straight Falls With Toe Hold Barred—Fast and Strenuous Match.

Bill Dryden proved last evening that he is the master of Jim Poullos in the wrestling game, although it took on the 29 minutes of the fastest going to prove it. The toe hold with which Bill has always had the better of the argument with the Greek was barred and the spectators liked it better.

It could be used to break holds and it was only on one or two occasions that it was a clean match, at times they fought it some but there was no real amount of it and Poullos apparently did not want it.

It was a great match with the Greek lightning fast and with Dryden, anything somewhat slow up from former matches. He did not seem to work as fast in places, although always sure of himself. After the first half hour Poullos forced the going for the next thirty minutes, but while he had several occasions got Dryden into bad positions he pulled himself loose for the first hour he became the aggressor and went after the Greek for the fall.

It was not so easy coming however, two or three times he had Poullos in

places that looked impossible to get away from, but he wiggled himself clear by remarkable work. He suffered once or twice from hammerlocks but Dryden was unable to exert enough pressure to get him to the mat.

The fall finally came after 1 hour, 29 minutes with a head scissors and an arm bar. Both men at this time were showing the effects of their hard grueling and they took more than the usual time.

They came back after a time and it was seen that both were slowed up but apparently just as willing and for fifteen minutes it was hard, fast work with Dryden most of the time the aggressor, and he finally pinned Poullos to the mat with an arm and head scissors in fifteen minutes.

In the preliminaries Butcher Smart defeated John Hett, the former getting the first fall, but Smart captured the next two in short order.

Dryden announced that he had signed up Cyclone Burns and Tom Drank for April 4, this being the match which ended after Drank was injured by being thrown out of the ring. The match should be the fastest that has ever been seen in this city.

BAKER PRAISES RED CROSS

Paris, March 25 (Delayed)—Following his inspection tour of American Red Cross activities in France, including hospitals, rest stations, can-

teens and stores, Secretary of War Baker said that he was particularly impressed with the work being done by the Red Cross at a big aviation camp where he visited the officers' mess and rest rooms watching the Red Cross women serve the cadets and soldiers with coffee, chocolate and sandwiches.

"When one is in the zone of the

armies, or in the supply areas, words of appreciation or praise for the American Red Cross seem superfluous," Secretary Baker said. "The foresight that has characterized its present and prospective operations has been a source of pride to the commanding officer of the American forces and should be a source of comfort to the people of the United States who I know enabled it to carry on its work and to expand."

Secretary Baker complimented the Red Cross women on their appearance and, told the director that their work was "inspiring." General Pershing, who accompanied Secretary Baker, also congratulated the Red Cross on its splendid work.

MINE SWEEPER LOST WITH 66 MEN

(By Associated Press)

London, March 25.—The admiralty announces the loss of a mine sweeper by coming in contact with a floating mine, with 61 men and two officers.

BOWLING

Navy Yard Schedule

The Supply Department No. 2 team defeated the No. 1 team at the Arcade Alleys on Monday evening by 29 pins.

The score:

Supply Dept. No. 2			
Lewis	85	90	274
Dwyer	81	95	235
Curtis	85	67	235
Blake	80	77	235
Brooks	86	80	243
Fernald	86	77	241
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Philbrick	102	85	281
Chesley	81	82	243
Taxis	81	63	243
Loring	84	85	243
Paul	81	74	243
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Archie Alley

Hand defeated Staples in a ten pinning match at the Archie alleys on Monday evening. The score:

Hand—87, 111, 102, 92, 110, 79, 73, 101, 99, 68—981.	
Staples—56, 92, 67, 80, 59, 84, 99, 101, 88, 82—875.	

WITH THE BOXERS

Johnny Dundee has been offered \$1500 for a 15-round bout with Geo. Chaney, the Baltimore K. O. King, by Henry Hietzer, the Baltimore matchmaker, the match to take place in that city. The same promoter offers Dundee \$1250 for a ten rounder, which Dundee will most likely accept as he has seldom traveled over the 15-round route. Dundee has already fought Geo. three or four times and found him fairly soft picking. However, Chaney has a habit of bringing about a sudden termination of his bouts with a K. O. and his victories over Kid Thomas and Artie Root last week vouch for his good condition.

Who will get the Willard-Fallon bout? New Orleans, Denver, Atlantic City, San Antonio, Texas, New Haven, Cheyenne, Wyoming, Denning, N. M., Cleveland, Minneapolis and Milwaukee are among the most prominent places talked about as a site for the championship affair. It would be a big boost for New Haven to land the big show, but the Nottidge state burg-lands but little show to do so.

Billy Mike has signed to meet Tom Cowley at Minneapolis April 2. Mike has also signed to box Ed. McGorty at St. Paul April 22.

Charlie White has been relieved of his job as boxing instructor at Camp Custer.

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FIREMENS BOWLING TEAM CHALLENGE

The Portsmouth Fire Department have an all star bowling team who they would like to match against any firemen's team in the state for fun or the supper. The team is made up of the different companies and they are all pretty good bowlers.

The following is the make-up of the team:

Hoffman of No. 1, Williamson of No. 4, G. E. Cox of No. 2, Chief Woods of the Board of Engineers, and J. Hersey of No. 2. Chief Woods is manager and Hersey is captain. The substitutes are G. Woods of No. 3, B. Hersey of No. 2 and Geo. Chandler of the 11 and 12.

SPORT NOTES OF INTEREST

Paymaster Thorpe of the local navy yard, who managed the crack navy yard training team of last season, intends to put a team from the yard in the 1918 Sunset League race. He is now making preliminary arrangements and has a large number of candidates for the nine, among them several well known college boys who are now stationed here. He feels confident that he will be able to pick a team that will make the best in the local league travel. Portsmouth baseball followers will recall that last year's training camp nine from the yard was one of the best navy ball teams ever seen in this city.

Wrestling followers who witnessed the match last evening between Bill Dryden and Jim Poullos, will have something to talk about for some days to come. It was the fastest, most scientific bout ever seen in Portsmouth, with first Poullos and then Dryden having the advantage. Jim Poullos fully lived up to his reputation of being one of the cleverest men in the game, and all who saw him in action can readily understand that there are few, if any, 100-100 pound men in the mat game who can trim him. Time and again Poullos had the local man in tight places, but seemed to lack the necessary weight and strength to hold him. Bill Dryden again demonstrated that he is to be classed with the best in the game. He was at his best Monday night and never worked better during his wrestling career. It was a first class exhibition of wrestling and one that will long be remembered by the local mat fans.

Carl Cavanaugh, of Manchester, a member of the Dartmouth baseball squad, has passed the physical examinations for entrance to the navy as a seaman, second class. He passed the tests in Boston Saturday. He was being counted upon as one of Dartmouth's most reliable outfielders for this season.

The Rockingham A. C. will shortly present a boxing card that will please all followers of the sport. Arrangements are now under way to bring two of the best known boxers in the east to this city. It is likely that Bill Burke of Lynn will take part in one of the other bouts.

Charles Metro, the Charenton grappler, shows that he means business by his deft to John Klonis. Metro has posted \$100 with a Manchester newspaper for a match with Klonis. The Charenton man made John hustle some in the 15-minute exhibition in which the pair were engaged three weeks ago. Metro is booked to wrestle Bill Dryden in this city for the benefit of the Red Cross April 15.

Walter Maraville will not be seen in action with the Boston Navy Yard line this season on account of his being ordered to active service. It will be real action that the Braves shortstop will execute and for the cause of democracy. The first sign that bids for Jack Barry's all star line that bids to give some classy performances.

John Klonis settled an old score in defeating Cyclone Hess at Manchester last Thursday night. The New Yorker has continuously bobbed up before John and has given him some hard struggles. Boston has been presented most of the Klonis-Ress engagements and this pair always made a great hit with the 11th fans. Klonis has won from Hess three times and Hess from Klonis twice.

The Holyoke high school baseball team has been making an impression on the Greater Boston quilters. They are picking Holyoke for the state schoolboy championship. Holyoke took the scalp of the Haverhill high boys. The latter were going at top speed until Holyoke came along. The second win by the paper city five over Haverhill was registered last Friday night by a score of 22 to 16, giving Holyoke 10 victories out of 11 games played.

Two simultaneous rowing races between crews of Harvard and Yale over two mile courses on the Charles and Housatonic rivers, June 1, will take place this year at the annual Harvard-Yale variety races on the Thames river at New London, Conn. Harvard rowing authorities have announced that each university had agreed to have a first and second crew this season. A freshman race between

the two colleges, to take place at the annual affair on the Thames, will take place May 25. It is announced also that Harvard and Princeton variety crews will race over the two mile course at Lake Carnegie, Princeton, on April 27.

RACING NOTES

Nobody will witness a race over a half mile track this year equal to the one staged at Combination July 27-28 in 1917, in which Major Woolworth raced Ryan Hat, Judge Ormonds, Earl Jr., Our Colonel, Peter Stevens, Possibility, Andy Ashland and The Ideal Lady into the ground. The summary of the heat winners stood: Major Woolworth, 2-3-1-2-2-1-1-2-1; Judge Ormonds, 0-7-1-2-2-2-1-2-1; Ryan Hat, 1-1-1-1-1-1-3-1; Earl Jr., 4-4-3-11-2-3-4-2. Time, 2:06 1-2, 2:05 3-4, 2:03 1-4, 2:09 1-2, 2:11, 2:05 1-4, 2:09 1-2. The race cooked the goose of Major Woolworth for the balance of the season while Ryan Hat went on and won a lot of money besides reducing the world's record for a pacing gelding over a half mile track to 2:03 1-4.

The most encouraging feature of the present bright outlook of the trotting horse business, says the Horse Review, is the effect it has already produced upon those loyal friends of the trotter who are breeding them. After having hung on for years they can now see their faith rewarded, for from the colls of today must come the race horses of the future.

Dan Patch holds the half mile track pacing record. His mark over the half mile track is 2:01. Director 1, has turned one in 2:02 3-4; Ryan Hat and Fay Richmond each in 2:03 1-4; Prince Alert in 2:03 1-2; Billy M., Peter Stevens and Single G. in 2:04; Joe Patchen, 2:04 1-4; Aleyfras, Ben Earl, Geo. Gano and The Eel each in 2:04 1-2.

This year the horses must be examined prior to their shipment to another state in New England. If they are found free from disease a certificate to that effect will be issued, which will admit them to any other state without another examination.

A Manchester bet was made last week on the place Ryan Hat, 2:00 3-4, and Director 1, 1:58 3-4, would occupy in the first race in which they met this summer. Leo Cavanaugh took the Director 1, and and Charley Duran picked Ryan Hat.

Joseph Johnson of Portland who races horses for recreation and sport, won \$2117.50 in 1917. He anticipates plenty of fun this season with Our Colonel, 2:01 3-4, Colonel 2:11 1-4, and Cheerful Charlie, 2:11 3-4.

ON THE DIAMOND

"If the holdouts in the National and American leagues do not want to play for the salaries offered them, let them go back to work for \$25 a week, or better than that, let them join the army or navy," said a baseball man recently. "They have been getting high salaries for years, and now they ought to do their share to keep the game alive by taking a reduction."

Probably four or five clubs in the American league would have been willing to take Cobb off Navin's hands last year at a high figure, but two clubs did make big offers for him and were refused. One of the bidders was Harry Frazee, owner of the Boston Red Sox, and he went as far as to prepare a letter offering a princely sum to the Detroit club, but was induced by his chief adviser to make another deal.

A dearth of left-handed pitching material will prevail in the major league this year. In the American the best southpaws are Ruth, Leonard, Harper, Thormahlen, Muggidge, Coombs, Plank, Tozier Russell, Claude Williams, Mitchell, Danforth and Culp. The National league has about the same number in Nantz, Marquard, Schupp, Saltee, Benton, Tyler, Vaughn, Packer, Bender and Eitzner. All of the big league managers are on the alert for new left handed, but the supply is smaller than in former years. The Giants have a big advantage in this respect, as Schupp, Saltee and Benton have few superiors.

An emergency cinder ball and a left-handed shoot with a right-handed delivery—did you ever hear of a pitcher with that combination in his repertoire? Yet that's what Roy Williams, Indian Rookie from Newark, deals out to rival batters, according to that other Indian recruit from Newark, John Egan.

Though many baseball fans pick the Athletics to finish last again this year in the American league pennant race, Connie Mack may fool them. He hasn't saying much these days but is sawing wood instead.

Spike Shannon, at one time a major league star and once a member of the Giants, is to be the chief of the umpire staff in the Western league during the coming season.

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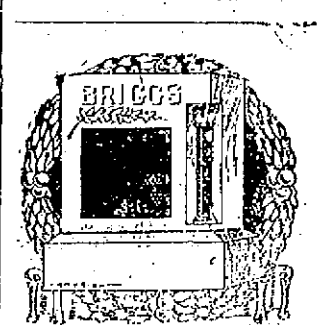
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